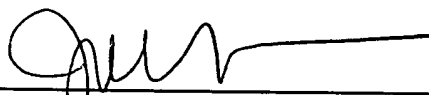




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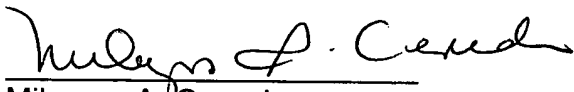
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in reply to the Official Communication mailed September 28, 2006, in the above-identified patent application, having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire October 28, 2006.

Applicants request entry of the following amendments to the claims and specification. Upon entry, the claims pending for further proceedings will be those in the claim listing that begins at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 6 of this paper.

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